Child—abuse and neglect type

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# Child—abuse and neglect type

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 269627 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | The type of physical, sexual or emotional actions or inactions which have resulted in, or are likely to result in, significant harm or injury to a child, or risk of significant harm or injury to a child. |
| Context: | There are considerable variations across States and Territories in the recording of type of abuse and neglect, reflecting each jurisdiction's own definitions, legislation, policies and practices relating to child protection and child welfare. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Child](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268987) |
| Definition: | An individual under the age of 18 years. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australia Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Abuse and neglect type](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269167) |
| Definition: | The type of actions or inactions which have resulted in, or may result in, significant harm or injury to another person. |
| Property group: | [Crisis event](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/274642) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Child—other type of abuse or neglect](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/455500)[Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 22/11/2016[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Recorded 19/08/2011Has been superseded by [Child—primary type of abuse or neglect](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/455464)[Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 22/11/2016[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Recorded 19/08/2011 |
| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Child—abuse and neglect type, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270166)[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/03/2005 |